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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1800.

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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GRORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Goton, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES TENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C.

Ricadenhall Street. W. M. WIMS, 151, Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 15 . Fleet Street. PARIS AND EUROPE: -- AMEDER PRINCE. 36. Rice Lafanette, Paris.

CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 22d Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- Bran & BLick, Son Poan-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

ZEATIAND :-- GORDON & GOTOH, Melbourne and Sydney. CEYLON:-W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.: - SAYLE & Co., Square Singapore. C. Heinszen

& Co., Marila CHINA: -- Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. tow, Quelon & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle. Foochow, HEDGE & Co. Shanghai. LANE, CEAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CHAW-TORD & Co., and KELLY & Co.

Banks.

NOTICE. DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hengkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hengkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Ban's having | 2 p.m. to take over intending Competitors. \$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 32 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6. - Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savinas' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. -- Withdrawals may be made on demand, .but_the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pace-Book are necessity

For the HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

HUNGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$ \$7,500,000 PRIETORS,

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. Forbes, Esq. Deputy Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. Hon, J. J. Keswick. L. Poesneorer, Esq. & China.

D. R. SASSOON, Esq. B. LAYTON, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEwen. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,........G. E. Noble, Esq.

MANAGER. Sharghai,.....Joun Walten, Esq. LONDON BANKERS, -London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rateof 2 per cent, par annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits: For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. n 4 per cent. n

5 per cont. " LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the hief Commercial pisces in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 10, 1190.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Orrice of the Company, Praya Central, on FRIDAY, 21st February, at Three o'Clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers declaring a Dividend. and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company Il be CLOSED from 8th to 21st Inst., th days inclusive. RUSSELL & Co.

General Managers. Hongkong, February 5, 1690.

No. 78, WYRDHAM STREET. DOARD AND RESIDENCE COMPORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. Moderate Terms. Mas. KJELLER.

Proprietress.

號三十月二年十九百八千一英

Intimations.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Ordin-NEW YORK :- J. TEWART HAPPER, THE pany to the 31st of December, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Cotapany date until Payment, in accordance with the will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th Articles of Association. day of February, both days inclusive.

LIMITED.

J. FOREMAN,

Hongkong, February 12, 1890. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, ____ LIMITED.

HE Ninth Ordinary Annual MEETING at the Office of the Company, Pedder's Kong Hotel, on SATURDAY, the 15th at Noon, to receive a Statement of the sentating the Report of the Directors, and 1889, and the Report of the General Mana- last. gers, and to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will-be CLOSED from the 5th to the 15th Proximo, both days inclusive.

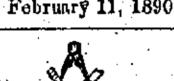
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 31, 1890.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWCON KWAN YEEN CHAL-LENGE CUPS .- Value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also TWO CONSOLA-TION CUPS, value \$100 each. The 2ND STAGE of the SIXTH COMPETI TION will take place NEXT SATURDAY, the 15th Instant, at 2.15 p.m., commencing depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 | at 900 Yards. Entrance Fee, 30 Cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Wharf at

> Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 11, 1890.

A. SHELTON HOOPER,



PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1165.

Regular MEETING of the above LUDGE will be held in the Free-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATUR-DAY NEXT, the 15th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m., precisely. Visiting Brethnen are cordially invited.

Hongkong, February 11, 1890. THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE is hereby given that a THIRD N CALL of FIVÉ DOLLARS per Share in the above Company is due on the Loth day of February next, and is Payable at the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA &

INTEREST at the Rate of TWELVE PER CENT. per Annum will be charged on All Oalls UNPAID on the due date. By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary. Hongkong, January 30 1890.

THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND OALL of ONE DOLLAR per SHARE W. G. BRODIE, Esq. | S. C. MICHARISEN, in the above Company is due on the 15th day of February next, and is Payable at J. S. Moses, Esq. the Chartered Bank of India, Australia

> Interest at the Rate of Twelve PER CEST, per Annum will be charged on All Calls UNPAID on the due date. By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 30, 1890.

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NOW READY. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF CALL

[1] HE DIRECTORS having decided to make the FINAL CALL on the SHARES in the above Company, Notice is hereby given that the sum of TEN DOLLARS, (810.) per Share will be Payable at the Honokono AND SHANGHAL BARKING CORPORATION ON

or before the 5th day of March, 1890. This FINAL CALL will make the Shares February, 1890, both days inclusive. 363 fully paid up, and all Scare in the hands of unregistered Holders should be sent in for registration.

INTEREST at the Rate of Twelve PER CENT. per Annum will be chargeable on all Calls UNPAID on due dates. By Order of the Board of Directors,

-CHAS. F.-HARTON,-Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 3, 1890.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-First Ordinary Annual NREEN ISLAND CEMENT COM-MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS (T in the above Company will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, Pedder's Street, on MONDAY, the 24th February instant, C. EWENS, Esq., Chairman. at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, to re- L. POESNECKER, Esq., Vice-Chairman. ceive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st J. D. HUTCHISON, Esq. 236 D cember, 1889, and the Report of the Ge- CHANTREY INCHBALD, Esq. neral Managers, and to elect a Consulting LEE SING, Esq.

Committee and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 11th to the 24th day of February inst., both days inclinite. JARDINE, MATHESON & Con-

General Managerse Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, February 1, 1690

Intimations.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that a CALL Ary Annual MEETING of SHARE- IN of \$1.00 per Share in the above HOLDERS will take place at the Hongkong Company is Payable on or before the 3rd Ho EL on FRIDAY, the 28th of February, day, f March next; and that all Persons 1890, at 4 o'Clock, to receive the Report Nor having paid the Amount of their Calls and Statement of the Accounts of the Com- will be charged Intensar at the Rate of \$8:00 PER CENT: per Annum from the due

> Dated the 11th day of February, 1890. W. H. WALKER, Secretary.

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE First Ordinary General MEET ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the of SHAREHOLDERS will be held above Company will be held at the Hone-Street, on SAI URDAY, the 15th February, I February, at Noon, for the purpose of pre- RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS, RACING TOPS

SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING

accounts of the Company to the 31st Dec., Statement of Accounts to 30th November The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 15th

Instant, both days inclusive. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, February 6, 1890.

THE PEAK HOTEL TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the IN SECOND INSTALMENT of \$5 (Five Dollars) per Share, on Call of Ten Dollars per Share in the above Company, will fall due on February 15th Next, and is Payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION. Interest at the Rate of 12 % per Annum

due date. By Order of the Board of Directors. J. WHEELEY. Secretary.

will be chargeable on all Calls UNPAID on

Hongkong, January 14, 1899. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS:

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHÖLDERS will be held in the Offices, of the Company, No. 14. Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 24th Inst., at 3 o'Clock Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to

31st December, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

DAVID GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, February 1, 1890. THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. TOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND IN CALL of SEVEN DOLLARS per SHARE in the above Company, is due on 183 the sixth day of March next, and is Payable

at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking INTEREST at the Rate of Twelve PER CENT. per Annum, will be charged on all Calls UNPAID on the due date.

By Order of the Board of Directors, REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 6, 1890. THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CRINA, JAPAN & STRAITS,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

MHE SECOND CALL of TEN SHIL-LINGS per SHARE is Payable here on the 6th March. SHAREHOLDERS will ploaso pay respective

Amounts due from them to the Underrigned. WM. H. FORBES.

For the Local Committee. Hongkong, February 7, 1890. NOTIOE.

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Second Ordinary MEETING of the Company will be held at the HONGRONG HOTEL, on TUESDAY, the 25th February, 1899, at 4 p.m. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to 25th

By Order, A. G. GORDON & Co., LTD., Managers. Hongkong, February 10, 189).

HONGKONG CRICKET OLUB. A LL who have ACCOUNTS against the A CRICKET DANCE and DINNER COM-MITTEE are requested to send them in before the 15th Instant.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Sec. H.K.C.O. Hongkong, February 6, 1890.

PANY, LIMITED.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS : --

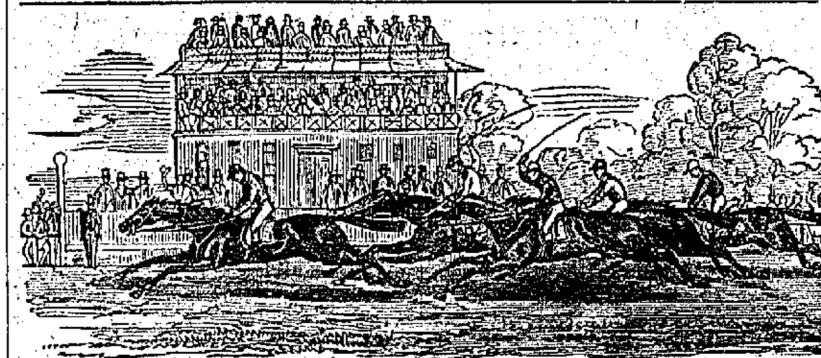
POON PONG, Esq.

The above Company is now prepared to supply PORTLAND CEMENT of best Instant, both days inclusive Offices - 62, Queen's Rond Central. J. FOREMAN.

Secretary. Hongkong, February 6, 1890.

Business Notices.

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DACING SADDLES, JOCKEY WHIPS, BRIDLES, REINS, HARNESS

SADDLERY AND STABLE REQUISITES OF ALL KINDS. RACING COLOURS, RACING SCARVES AND FAVOURS. NEW EELT AND SILK HATS.

AYALA & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1890. EX STEAMSHIP *GLENFINLAS*.)

T ADIES' and CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS, SPRING FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c., &c.

FIRST DELIVERIES

These Goods have been manufactured for us, by special arrangement, on the EARLIEST SPRING MODELS. W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 1, 1890. Wictoria: Hotel.

. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. [1] HIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much en. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG larged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place.

87 The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

and SNOKING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Froprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters. NEW GOODS. TILSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES. New FELT HATS (Intest styles).

CHESTERFIELD and COVERT COATS. DRAB SHELL HATS. CHEVIOT and SLYONY SUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. 199 RACING COLORS. GENT'S DRESS SHIRTS. RIDING BREECHES. LADIES' HABITS.

BOOTS and SHOES. GENT'S UNDERCLOTHING. GLAPSTONE BAGS. PORTMANTEAUS.

LADIES' JACKETS.

JUST RECEIVED.

OORN LAWN GRASS SEED,

Sowing during the Month of February. In Packets-Price, 50 Cents each.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, February 5, 1890. TRE FALCONER has VACANCIES for Gentlemen Resident Boarders

at Kowloon. Kowloon, 5th February, 1:90. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION:

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February next, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.

By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE, Ehief Manager.

Hougkong, January 31, 1890. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given that N REGISTER of SHARES of CORPORATION WILL be CLOSED SATURDAY, the 8th, to SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager. Hougkong, January 31, 1890.

239 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Twenty-First Ordinary MEETING THE Undersigned having been appointed

of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, prepared to Accept MARINE RISKS at No. 5; Queen's Road, Victoria, on MON. Current Rates. DAY the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ended Sist December, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 11th to the 24th

By Order, GEO: L. TOMLIN, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 1, 180).

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD Messre. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Single and Double Terai HATS. TRAVELLING RUGS and MAUDS.

LADIES' ULSTERS. &c. -Notices to Consignees. intimations.

> MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

TARTAR, FROM GLASGOW. LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-

LOON WHARP & Godown Co. at Kowloon,

whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded uniest notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th

Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th Instant, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, February 12, 1890.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. HE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND Goods are being landed at their rick into PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. the Honckong and Kowloon Whare and GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Oargo remaining undelivered after the from 17th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 17th Instant. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, February 11, 1890. 270 THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. AGENTS for the above Company, are GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY. MILE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

NORTON & Co.,

d-jontin

Hongkong, November 4, 1880

Hongkong, July 16, 1887.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. HE Undersigned has received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY. the 17th February, 1890, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, at the Residence of Major MILES, R.A., No. 10, Seymour Terrace,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE comprising:

DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, VELVET-

COIBERT TABLES and FANOY CHAIRS, DAvenport, Pianino, Black and Gold Music STAND, MIRRORS, &c., &c. COTTAGE PIANO, by KIRKMAN. DINING TABLE and TEAR DINING CHAIRS. VIENNA CHAIRS, BOOKCASE, DINNER WAG-GONS, ELECTRO-PLATED, GLASS and CROCKER WARE, FILTER, ICE CHEST, GRASS BRACKETS,

KEROSINE LAMPS, &c., &c. IRON BEDSTEADS and SPRINGMATTRESSES. BIANKETS SHEETS, &C., HALL & HOLTZ MADE LADY'S WARDROBE, MAHOGANY CHESTS OF DRAWERS, PLAIN WARDGOBES, Dressing and Toilet Tables and Sets. DRESSING GLASSES and BEDROOM FURNI-Ture, &c., &c.

LADY'S CHAIRS, MOUNTAIN CHAIR, RICKSUA. Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale, and the above will be on view on Mon-

TERMS OF SALE. —As customary. G. R. LAMMERT. Auctioncer. Hongkong, February 11, 1890.

Shipping.

Steamers.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, HODEIDAH, MASSUA, JEDDAH,

SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE AND VENICE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-OUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIO PORTS.)

will be despatched as above on the 16th Inst. Cargo will not be received on board after 5 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage

The Co,'s Steamship

Possidon

and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Ca., Agen(8.---Hongkong, February 8, 1820. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Ports on the 17th Instant.

FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. The Co.'s Steamship-Captain Riley, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 17th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & BWIRE, Hongkong, February 10, 1890. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBI RG. (Taking Car o at through rates to

DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship Hesperia. Captain L. Madsen, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant, at 10 a.m.

NTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, February 11, 1tf0. UHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

The Co.'s Steamship Changsha,
WILLIAMS, Comindr., will
be despatched as above at Noon, on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst. The attention of Passengers is directed Consigness are also hereby nformed, that to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines: Swond-class Passongers are Berthed in the Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Poop. A Refrigerating Chember ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the

> BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agenta. Honokono February 11, 1500. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Catried.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Captain Park, will be despatched as above on brabout the 27th Instant. This Steamer has superior Accommode-

and Stewarders. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co. A genis. Houghong, February 7, 1800.

tion for Passer gers, and carries a Doctor

Shipping.

Steamers. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

places on FRIDAY, the 14th Instant, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Stownship

will leave for the above

The P. & O. S. N. Co. a

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 3, 1890.

STEAM TO LONDON (DIRECT). Calling at INTERMEDIATE PORTS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Shanghai,
Captain F. N. Tri LARD, will leave for the above places at Noon. on FRIDAY, the 14th February. This Vessel is disconnected from the Mail Services, but has excellent accommodation for

reduced rates. Electric Light, Deck Cabins. Surgeon carried, &c. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

through Passengers (First Saloon only) at

Hongkong, February 12, 1800. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

Captain T. S. GARDNER above Ports on SATURDAY, the 15th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

The Steamship

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, February 11, 1890. STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY,

The Steamship

Nanzing. Captain TALBOT, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 12, 1890. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents.

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship W. S. Thomson, Compatched for the above Port on or about the

For Freight, &c., apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, February 1, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

i5th Instant.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship despatched as above on MONDAY, the 17th Instant.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 7, 1890. FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA. The Steamship Decommunity Captain Houghtopp, will be despatched as above

on or about the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hougkong, February 12, 1500

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship Merionethshire. Capt. Downing, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAVSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, February 5, 1890.

Sailing Vessels. FOR HONOLULU. The American Barque Tillie Baker. This strictly First-class Vessel has superior Accommodation for a few First class Cabin Passengers. For Passage, e quire of Captain CARTY

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. The Splendid Steel Clipper Ship

Altear,

1283 Tons, R. MAGRAPH, Commander, will be despatched on or about let

Hongkeng, February 11, 1890.

on Board.

March, for PORT TOWNSEND AND SEATTLE (DIRECT), without transbit. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, or to CAPTAIN ON BOARD.

Hongkong, February 8, 1890. Notice of Firm.

NOTICE. WE Have This Day ontered into Page NEBERIP AS SOLICITORS, and shall carry on Business under the Name of 'HOLMES & RODYK'

ARTHUR B. RODYE. 54, Queen's Road. Hongkong, February 1, 1900.

HENRY J. HOLMES.

STRAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above

places at Noon, TO-MORROW, the 14th E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 13, 1890.

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1890

SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL. (Via Southern Line.)

ng kapangan <u>alamatan</u> dan ka SPITEFUL PORTUGAL. LONDON, 11th February, 1890. The objection to England is taking a decided form, insomuch as that the Oporto Club has had its windows smashed because the English members were not expelled :

Emin Pasha has recovered.

(From Singapore Papers.) THE TIMES AND MR PARNELL. Mr Parnell's action against the Times for publishing the fac-simile letter has been settled. The Times pays £5,000 damages.

Italian protectorate. RUSSIA. The Government has decided to establish Station. forthwith a Naval Station on the Baltio

near Libau at a cost of 13 millions of rou-MR STANLEY. Mr Stanley is to have the freedom of the gity of Edinburgh conferred upon him.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. THE delivery of the French Mail was begun at 4 p.m.

THERE will be a game of Polo on the Ruce course at 4.45 p.m. on Friday, the 14th inst A rull report of the Finance Committee meeting yesterday will be found on the

4th page. H. M. Troopship Orontes left this afternoon on her return voyage to Portsmouth, via Singapore and Colombs.

THE Sanitary Board will meet to-morrow, the subject for consideration being correspondence regarding drainage of rural building lot No. 7.

THE hair-raising story about the mutiny of omigrants on board the Chow-chow-foo, copied by the Daily Press, from the Singapore Free Press, is evidently a very corrupt version of the disturbance on board the Fidelio, particulars of which we gave two or three days ago.

state the name and quantity of Wine or Ar the Police Court this morning a China-Shelton Hooper, with stealing water from the cistern in his garden at 'Davonia,' The Albany. Mr Hooper said that besides being deprived of the water, of which there is only a very limited supply, residents were rendered liable to presecution for waste, because the person who took the water generally left the tap running. Mr Wodehouse said he would deal with the case as that of a nuisance, and fined defendant \$2. with the alternative of 14 days' imprison-

> H. E. Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, Com-0.00 modore Church, and Officers of H. M. Ships in Harbour, together with officers of the R. N. Hospital and the Naval Yard, 1.00 gave a ball at the City Hall last evening. for \$50,000 for alleged libel. The followcluding H. E. the Governor and Lady Des

Voeux, and the gallant hosts are to be con- ison, A. J. David, and Chow Ping. gratulated upon the marked success of their efforts to entertain this community. Some of the features of the exceedingly effective decorations were novel and pleasing. The facade of the City Hall building was illuminated by means of the electric light, and this mellow and pretty light was 1 doz - 2 doz. utilised on the grand staircase and landing, Quarts. Pints. in the smoking-room, and in the Supper room. Indeed the electric light has made its debut in the City Hall building in a

form and from a source not generally look. ed for, the dynamos being worked on board H. M. S. Lattler (lying off the Cricket Ground, opposite the City Hall), and the cables having been brought ashore and led Case. Per Bot. | into the building. The electric lamps lent themselves most effectively to the presty designs formed, and, taken together will , \$12 \$1.10 the usual flag-drapery, and greenery, the result was most pleasing and attractive. Of course, torpedoes, machine-guns, and cutlasses, etc., heightened the attractiveness of the scene; and a novel and interesting feature of the decorations was the series of models of the various ships in the Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 | Harbour. It appears that a competition was held amongst the ships, and a prize given to the best model turned out. This 0.75 prize fell to the model of the l'orpoise. which certainly was a most finished work of nautical architecture in miniature. Lighted up as it was by the electric light (which was also lighted up inside),

and showing the internal fittings, through the ports, the model was an object of great astraction and general interest. The old Victor Emanuel, the flagship Imperiouse Leander, Alacrity, Cordelia, and were placed in different parts of the build-10 1.00 ing. It must by mentioned that supper-room was prettily decorated, ample justice was done to the good things 12 1.10 supplied. We have seldem seen the tables so tastefully arranged, and the electric light was even utilised to produce some pleasing effects on the supper daintiesnotably a tower in which a coloured jully played the part of a red light by means of a tiny electric lamp. Dancing was kept up with great spirit until two o'clock, and the guests must have gone home with the feeling that they had taken part in one of the most successful and attractive assomblies

that has ever been given in this Colony. H.M.S. Swift left Shanghei on the 7th instfor Hongkong. On the way down, she was to call at Turnabout to make enquiries with reference to a wreck.

THE N.-C. Daily News of 8th inst. says :-12 1.00 The Surveyor's Department did a smart piece of work yesterday. At 6 o'clock in the morning operations were commenced upon a portion of the bund between the Yang-king-pang Creek and Canton Load a distance of 45 | feet. Half the breadth of the road which is 70 feet wide at one end led nine inches deep, and partially rolled patch of the 25th November has the follow- ing or otherwise, and who, he had no doubt, before 6 p.m.

Ir will be remembered that some time ago, 11th instant contains a challenge from person could do it for him. With regard a young Chinese was sent by his father, Houghong to Jake Kilrain. The name of to the law on the case he need trouble the the compradore of a fereign firm, to cash a the new man is Oscar Brandt, his sporting jury but very little, as that was a matter cheque at one of the banks. On the way cognomen being Iago Relish. He says he that might be left to his Lordship; but for to the bank, the youth met two friends will fight the winner of the coming combat the purpose of showing them the general who persuaded him to run away with the for the championship of the world, the drift of the law on the case, he would refer. money. He complied with their sugges- diamond belt and \$5,000 or \$10,000 a side, briefly to the points of law to which the tion and they went with him to Hongkong the light to come off in America or China, evidence would be directed. In the first where they were arrested. By the Sutley with \$1,000 for expenses. Oscar-Brandt is place, with regard to the publication of the the three were brought back to Shanghai unassuming, as he says: The following libels, three in number, he took it that the by Sergeant McIver, an officer of the are my dimensions : leight 6 ft. 21 in., substantial defence to the first and third Hongkong Police. - N. C. Daily News. chest 457 in., stomach 90 in. (Note: I give would be that they were published on a

CORRESPONDENCE. . TRAPS AND WIRES.

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.

way as best I could in the darkness, when I Chinese wife should get wind of this, and I facts were before them that there was no was suddenly stopped by a telegraph wire want to be off." Mr Oscar Brandt is privilege whatever in any of these cases stretching diagonally across the road; had evidently a humourist. If his domestic except the last, where there were indicial facilities been at hand I felt in the humour experiences are as they appear to be, it proceedings and where comments, if they to make a breach in telegraphic community would be quite as well both for himself and kept to the truth and merely expressed

However a little further on my way I America. London, 3rd Feb. - he Italians have turning back I drew his attention to this 1889 the defendant falsely and malicionaly | tell the jury there was no privile e. On left Adows and returned to Italian terri- abominable wire; even he was astonished printed and published in his said news the question of malice, in law malice was tory. An Italian East African Company is and after an exclamation in an unknown paper of and concerning the plaintiff and of hasomed if the occasion of publication was projected to establish factories with in the language, declared he must make a report, and concerning his conduct and credit as not privileged. Here malice was alleged,

Now it is evident this wire must have is to say :--

persons. - I am, yours faithfully. ANOTHER RESIDENT.

TREE PLANTING. To the Editor of the OHINA MAIL.

13th Feb., 1890. Sir,-The removal of the trees from the Nursery at the Race Course is undeniably a move in the right direction, but it sincerely to be hoped ample time may be allowed to Mr Ford to have the fine trees transplanted to some of the delightful walks in the Peak districts, say round Mount Kellet, so much frequented by ladies, and specially by children, account of the evenness of the road.

Immense care and interest has always Brandt (meaning this plaintiff) v. Grimble been shown by Mr Ford in the planting of trees and in their preservation, and any undue haste in clearing the Nursery may redult in the loss of the fine trees to rear which so much care has been given. these reasons I cordially approve of H. E. the Governor's intention to consult the one who is beat able to advise him for the public welfare in this matter .- Yours,

A LOVER OF TREES.

CRICKET. The following eleven will represent the Club & Navy on Friday and Saturday, commencing at 2 p.m. on Friday :-

Capt. Davidson, (A. & S. Highlanders. F. Maitland A. J. Campbell, (A. & S. Highlanders Dr Lowson. C. Wahab, (A. & S. Highlanders.) H. Woodcook, R.A.

T. S. Smith, (Capt.)

E. C. Young, R.E. L. Barff. Capt. Butcher. A. N. Other. SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION (Before Hon. Mr Justice Fielding Clarke Acting Chief Justice, and a Special Jury.)

Thursday, February 13.

THE BRANDT-SMITH LIBEL CASE This was an action at the instance of Mr Oscar Brandt, merchant and commission agent, against Mr Robert Frager Smith. ditor of the Honakona Telegraph newspaper The gathering was large and fashionable, in- ing gentlemen were sworn as a jury :--Messrs H. W. Dick, A. J. do Rozario, A O'D. Gourdin, J. A. Mosely, J. D. Hutch

A JURYMAN OBJECTED TO. Mr G. R. Lammert was one of the jury men called, but he was objected to by Mr Fragor Smith, who said he was prepared to show cause why Mr Lammert should be rejected. Mr Webber. defendant's solicitor. then went into the box and stated that he had been asked to subp cona Mr Lammert to give evidence in the case, but that en mentioning the matter to Mr Lammert yesterday he said. I can't be of any possible good to you, because I think the plaintiff is entitled to something however small. Mr. Webber added that he thought Mr Lammert mentioned a sum of \$100. His Lord-

THE PLAINTIFF'S CASE. Mr Robinson, in opening his case, said his first duty was to read the petition and answer, which were as follows :-

Rospectfully shewoth :-1. The plaintiff is a Merchant and Commission Agent residing and carrying on business at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, under the style or firm nat of Brandt and Company. 2. The defendant is the editor, proprietor and publisher of a newspaper pub-

lished daily in Hongkong and known as the Hongkong Telegraph. 3 On or about the 23rd February A. D. 1886 the defendant falsely and muliciously printed and published in his said newsp per of and concerning the defendant and of and concerning his conduct and credit as a Morchant and Commission Agent the following false scandalous and malicious libel :-

. With reference to the paragraph in ou issue of the 13th inst. regarding an action brought by Lum Hon against Mr Oscat Brandt for the recovery of brokerage on an alleged sale of arms we are informed that some publicly interesting details will come to light at the hearing which will not only seriously compromise the defendant but also those from whom he purchased the arms. We are also informed that the matter has already been brought to the notice of the Crown Prosecutor. In the suit Mr Jno. J. Francis, Q.C., has been retained for the plaintiff,' meaning the reby that the said Oscar Brandt, this plaintiff, had in or

fore a Criminal Court therefor. malicious libel :--

you the measure of my stomach so that you privileged occasion. Privilege in the case shall have a belt purposely made for use.) of the second libel was not suggested; wit, Weight in condition 217 lb,; age forty- regard to that the defendant appeared to live. The comment about his atomach ruly entirely on the statement that it was and belt is simply delicions. Brandt in not a libel. With regard to the question os furnishing further particulars, says So fer privileged publications Tsim-tsa-sui, Feb. 13th, as I know I have never seen my father and His Lordship-It is a matter for Sim, I see in y ur issue of last night a I am doubtful about my mother. Born me to tell the Jury whether publication is letter from a resident of this side directing good looking, at lesst, I think so, educated privileged or not. I think you had better the attention of the P. W. D. to certain on a big ranch between Mangana and simply deal with the facts. Manchuria, fight under any rules, five Mr Robinson said he had no doubt his man-ways,
I passed the place last night, picking my minutes start to be allowed in case my Lordship would tell the jury when the Jake Kilrain if the fight did take place in opinions that were warranted and fair,

It was want of time that kept me from grich merchant and commission agent as and it was their intention to bring syidence making a report personally at the Police aforesaid, a false scandalous and mailcious before the jury to prove malice, the reason

plaint against the laxity of some person or bought shares from Grimble for forward delivery. They take people's money, and whilst the race is boing run they vanish and are not to be found by the backers of the winner. Those "rougha" are called "welshers," and when, as sometimes happens, one of the fraternity is caught at his nefarious business, he is by universal consent left to a species of Lynch law peculiar to the raco course. He is generally stripped beaten until he is black and blue, and then soused into the pearest horse pond, the police, on the strength of a perfectly understood if unwritten law, declining to inter-fere. The notion of a "welsher" suing a client in a court of law is far too ludicrous for serious consideration-and yet, what was the actual position of the Plaintiff in On his own showing he gambled to win when he lost he could not pay, and therefore he was in the position of the pariah above described, and in our opmon cutside the pale of legal protection. Repudiation of a contract that a man enters into with his eyes open is so near a fraud that we scarcely know where to draw the line, and Acting Justice Wise says in his summing up that " there was evidence that

on August 27th the plaintiff gave distinct

notice to the defendant that he intended to

repudiate the shares and would not take

them up," Why did he give notice of

repudiation? Plainly enough because he

gambled on an expected rise, and as the

dice turned the wrong way he was left no

other alternative. Brandt (meaning this

plaintiff) played to win, and made no pre-

parations to meet a loss. And this, substituting a race course for "the Rialto" is "welshing" pure and simple." . There was another issue in the case, a side issue in which Brandt (meaning this plaintiff) sought to recover \$534.35, which his brokers, who were also Grimble's brokers, and had the usual authority to " square up " accounts between clients who had cross transactions, had credited to Grimble, but which, however, is not of sufficient public importance to call for detailed criticism. Brandt admitted owing the money, and did not show any just cause why it should not have been paid, and on this point the judge was very properly against what was a mean attempt to evade a responsibility that was not denied, meaning thereby that the plaintiff the said Oscar Brandt was a man of no means and of no credit, that he had deliberately entered into a contract for the purchase of shares without having the means or the prospect of paying for them or taking them up and the deliberate intention of repudiating the contract if it was to his advantage so to do; that he was in the habit of so acting and was no better than a common swindler, to

the great injury and discredit of the said Oscar Brandt. And the said Oscar Brandt claims damages \$50,000 and his costs of suit. Dated the 21st day of November, 1889.

The Answer of the above-named Defen-

1. The defendant admits that the plaintiff at present resides at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, but is not aware whether the plaintiff is a merchant or not, 2. The defendant admits paragraph 2 of

the plaintiffs petition. 3. The defendant admits that he published the paragraph set out in paragraph 3 ship held that this expression of opinion on lished the paragraph set out in paragraph 3 the issue was sufficient causs for sustaining of the petition, but denies that he did so falsely and maliciously, and further denies that the remarks quoted therein are libelious, or can be made to bear the meaning attributed to them in plaintiff's averment. The said words are a fair and accurate statement of a report concerning certain proceedings in which the public had a common interest, and were published bona fide and without malice in the course of the defendant's business as a journalist,

and are therefore privileged. 4. Defendant admits publication of the extract from the London Weekly Despatch' newspaper quoted in paragraph 4 of the petition, but denies that he did so maliciously, or that it is a defamatory libel on

In answer to paragraph 5 defendant says that on or about the 7th day of September 1889 the plaintiff issued a writ out of this-Honourable Court in its Summary Jurisdiction against P. F. Grimble wherein the plaintiff claimed \$996.39 for difference upon certain shares. The case was heard in open Court before His Honour the Paisne Judge on the 28th September 1889, when judgment was given for the plaintiff for \$392.65 and costs.

The article referred to in the said paragraph 5 was published by the defendant bonk fide and without malice and for the public benefit and in the usual course of the defendant's business and duty as a public journalist, and was and is a correct, fair and honest comment of the said pro-

ceedings. Da ed 5th December, 1880.

Mr Robinson, proceeding, said, with reabout a sale of arms in the said paragraph gard to the parties concerned, Mr. Brandt referred to been guilty of some criminal who was probably well known to them was offence and was about to be prosecuted be- a gentleman who carried on business as a merchant and commissi n agent, doing a 4. On or about the 31st day of December large business and having done a large A. D. 1-88 the defendant falsely and business with the Chinese Government in maliciously printed and published in his the matter of contracts. The defendant said newspaper of and concerning the was a man even better known to them, a plaintiff the following false scandalous and man of undoubted ability, a man of no deficiency of intellect, and moreover a man We learn with considerable astonish- who had had considerable experience in the ment that Hongkong bossts the possession law Courts, who had defended himself ably of an aspirant for the honors of the P. R. and well in former actions, who was never

championship. The Lendon Weekly. Dis at a loss to defend himself at a public meeting paragraph which we publish without would do all he could to defend himself in comment. The New York San, of the this case-perhaps letter than any other

were privileged. On the other two occamet a Sikh policeman, I called him and B. On or about the Oth day of October | sions he had no doubt his Lordship would

libel in the words and figures following that for that Feing that the melice was an aggravation of the offence. In this case

been in such a condition for at least. In England there is a class of specula- they said there was a wilful slander, a d tors (1) who attend race meetings for that being to they would nak the jury to

Pard in me for taking up no much of your the purpose of belting with ignorant give such damages as would mark their valuable space but methinks the rate. persons on exactly the same principle sense of the wrongful intention of the payers at Kowloon have just cause of com- that Brandt (meaning this Plaintiff) defendant. The object therefore of a gold

THE Steamship OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 13th Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan All Parcel Packages should be marked to

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The British steamer Canton, from Shang-

hai vin Swatow February 12th, reports strong Northerly gale from Shanghai to Ocksey. Ocksey to Hongkong, light variable winds and calms. On February 10th, spoke steamer Ynensang, from Swatow, bound Shanghai, off Chapel Island. The British steamer Forme a, from Tamsui on February 10th, reports fine weather throughout the passage. Steamers at Amoy, Diamond, Fokien, and the Hailoung, which left for Formosa Ports on the 11th instant.

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

and the British Consul has been challenged to fight a duel by a Portuguese. THE HEALTH OF EMIN PASHA.

themselves he wished to let the jury know | disgusted victim, R. France Smith. something of the antecedents of the plaintiff | That letter showed the feelings of the man and the nature of the business he was after that race. That was the malice that transacting at the time the libels upon him showed itself in every single one of these were published, one of which appeared in libels. He had never forgiven Brandt, and 1886 another in 1888 and another in 1889. never would. To show that in 1885 the Mr Brand; was a man of good com- spirit was still burning strongly in him, a was as good probably as that of any would be put in. That appeared in 1885; remained in that firm till it failed in 1867. Chinese officials in Foochow. He carried Shanghai Race Club.

MESSES BRANDT AND SMITH'S FORMER RELATIONS.

It was in the summer of 1880 he met Mr Frasor Smith. That was in Shanghai, and Mr Smith purchased some ponies from him and made overtures for a racing partnership for the following year in Hongkong. In 1881 the plaintiff and defendant were associated as partners for the Race meeting of the year. That year they had a successful meeting. Mr Brandt lived then and afterwards in the defendant's house during his stay in Hongkong, Mr Fraser Smith being upon the most intimate terms with him. In 1882 they again raced together as partners and made a small loss. Next year, which he would call Highland Fling's year, was look-Mr Fraser Smith. He hoped to do great things that year. His position then was not a very flourishing one and he hoped to win the Derby and make a large sum at the Races. With that object in view he again co-operated with Mr Brandt. Mr Brandt was to find him the cattle and the riders, and he (Mr Fraser Smith) would take all the other necessary steps to ensure a successful meeting. To show that he had high hopes, how they were frustrated, and how the frustration of those hopes was the source of the malice which had been shown by the defendant from that day to this, he (Oounsel) must go into these matters. In August 1882 Mr Fraser Smith wrote a letter to Mr Brandt, then in Shanghai, in which he said-'Our next ted here. I am relying on you for cattle and riders; I will do the rest. Whatever you have, keep them as dark as the grave. Keep up your spirits, old man. Although we have both had fearful luok this year, better times must come.' They raced togother again in the following year. Highfland Fling was to win the Derby. High land Fling went lame a few weeks before the races. Highland Fling was carefully and skilfully - brought round in time to face the starter, but not in time to get into condition again and win the -race. Heavy was the loss for Mr Frager Smith: and it would be shown that this was the real source of all his malice against the defendant. He turned round on his partner, acquied him of being the cause of his failure and told him he would rue the I sa that had been brought about by his rascality. On the 28th of March following he wrote to Mr Brandt in these terms :-

fore \$177.63, which added to \$109 you Vicercy but the Hoppo) and the Hongkong received from Chater and \$7d from Mor- and Shanghai Banking Corporation through timer Murray makes the total of \$365,43. Mr Occar Brandt, afforded room for serious (There are other amounts you received reflection; and it then went on to describe which I allow to stand over for the present.) it as a pretty fiece of luginose which From the \$265.43 you can deduct \$120 for reflected very small oredit either on the freight and passage money to Shanghai and | Canton officia s or the Bank management \$30 for the purchase of Scotch Riel and asked if it was becoming the dignity of in the Ladies Purse-of which by the the empire of China to stoop so low way I knew nothing until the Races were as to negotiate paltry loans of this all over-leaving a net balance in my favour | character in this fashion and of \$215.43. Now to prevent any misun- one who had parned for himself an unfabefore April 15th you will have to bear the man was still pursuing Mr Brandt and consequences. I shall expose you not only trying to injure him in his business. in Hongkong but in Shinghai, Foochow, Ten days later appeared another paragraph Amoy and throughout the Far East. I stating that the Hoppo on a visit to the think I can promise you that when I lay a colony honoured the Hotel de Brandt statement of my case with the necessary | with his Company and similar shops were documentary evidence before the public somewhat mining dust His Exectioncy's through the medium of the Telegraph choice of residence, adding the greenand before every racing tribunal in Ohiua, leyed monster of course. Yes, the greenthat your rosing career has finished. A eyed monster was allve ten days before good excuse has been wanted for some time that, and was in fact in the office of I did not send 'Old Fiddle,' I come

mercial standing and family. His family paragraph from the defendant's newspaper of the gentlemen in the box. He Highland Fling's year was 1883. In the was educated in Hamburg and came interval a great deal had happened to Mr out from Hamburg to China in 1863. Brandt. He had formed a business con-After a brief stay in Hongkong he went | nection with a Mr Bidwell. Bidwell was a as chief clerk to a firm in Shanghai. He man who had great influence among the when he entered into the service of another on the same kind of business as Mr Brandt He left the service of the second had been doing recently in Hongkong, supfirm in 1868 and then set himself up in plying arms and ammunition and various business as an accountant and bill broker other things to the Chinese Government. and carried on a good business there in In 1884 Bidwell and Brandt were at loggerthuse capacities for a long time. He left heads and they submitted their dispute to Shanghai in 1879, putting his business into arbitration. Bidwell was represented by the hands of Messrs White and Miller, bill Mr Wainewright of Shanghai, and Mr brokers. In 1873 he had joined the Latham represented Brandi's interests. Bidwell brought charge after charge against Brandt, and one after another failed. At last the two arbitrators gave in a verdict o 825,000 against Bidwell. Result Bidwell and Brandt enemies. Bidwell and Fraser Smith friends. In 1885 Brandt came to Hongkong to prosecute his claim on the award. Part of the money was left in the hands of Messrs Russell and Co. and he brought an action against them. After months of delay the matter was compromised by their paying \$8,000 to Brandt. While these tedious delays were going on, Brandt having left his bill broking business in Shanghai looked round for something to do in the interval. He was introduced to a Mr Jurgens on whose be half he took up a case against a Mr Pitman and another. Mr Pitman was a great friend of Mr Fraser Smith, and with him ed forward to with the keenest interest by Mr Brandt came into serious collision.

was at the very start of Mr Brandt's burg in 1863 in company with Mr Gustav Hoppo arrived in Hongkong he stayed at and costs on the most conclusive evidence. business. It stated that with regard Wieler of Hongkong, who knew my family. my Hong with all his retinue. There was So far my statements. You have dared the Stewards, did you not 1-Yes. My to the suit for \$7,600 we are inform. After three months in Hongkong I went to a great deal of competition for the Lonour, to persecute me in your vile paper for complaint was duly investigated several ed that some publicly interesting details | Shanghai as chief clerk to Martine, Latham | and the paragraph ridicaling me about it | years. I have hitherto ignored you, on the days afterwards. will come to light at the hearing which will & Co. That firm failed in 1867 and I be- was intended to injure me. In 1887 I was principle of "Wer Pech angreift besudelt With the result that the Stewards found not only seriously compromise the defend- came the liquidator. I then entered an- trying to get a concession for a wharf in sich," but I shall put a stop to this now. You | there was not sufficient evidence !- They ant but also those from whom he purchased other as chief clerk. I left in 1868 and Canton. I had to get an affidavit from have run to the end of your tether. I shall could not get the evidence they required the arms' and that the matter was already storted business on my own account as bill owners of property. I had a confidential give you just one day to think over your They did give notice to a gentleman to ap-Here was a thing they would be able to put and when I left I put my business into the made to suborn my agent. I saw a your Thursday's issue a most humble and meeting to allow him to appear, but he Derby will be the mest exciting event ever heldre the Canton authorities who were hands of Messrs White and Miller. In promissory note signed by Mr Bidwell, straightforward apology I shall find a way would not appear and they dismissed the known in Hongkong, and there will be more doing business with Brandt, who was com- 1880 I met Mr Fraser Smith in Shanghai. I put through a contract in the same year to convince you that the law of this colony peting with Mr Bidwell and Mr Pitman. He bought some of my cast-off ponies and with the Viceroy of Yunnan for 1000 rifles is well capable of awarding condign punish-Why should this libel come out? What began preliminaries for a racing pariner, and a million cartridges. I also put through ment to a wholesale reviler, malicious object had Mr Fraser-Smith in mentioning ship for the following year. I trained and this but for the malice in his own heart | rade the ponies. We were very successful and the friendship he had for those other that year. I lived in Mr Fraser Smith's two mon. Settle that \$215 :f you wish house at that time. In 1882 I was again in and the capital was all subscribed. On the then I shall know that even the last spark to avoid trouble that you will never get Hongkong at the Race meeting and was in last day of the year appeared the second of honour and manliness has left you. over; if you don't I shall expose you partnership with Mr Smith; I again stayed libel. The first thing I heard about this through the medium of the Telegraph not at his house for five or six weeks. It was libel was a letter from the editor of the only here but in Shanghai, Foothow and | not a successful meeting on the whole. Amoy, and all over the Far East.' That Negotiations were begun for continuing the ne would do him all the harm he could racing in the following year. The letter was illustrated by one circumstance. duted Victoria Gaol, 8th August 1882, was That paragraph of the 13th February was sent to me by Mr Fraser Smith. [The reprinted in Shanghai. They happened letter was put in and read.] I came down to be able to produce the Mercury in which to the '83 Race meeting and again went the paragraph was reproduced under the into partnership with Mr Fraser Smith. by Mr Bidwell and by nobody else. It out of the Colony. I did not take the back after the meeting and about a week heading of 'An old Racing Man in Trou- Highland Fling was the pony meant to says I never knew my father and was not words in the 'chit book' away from home' ble?' What was the 'authority' for that win the Derby. He went lame about three paragraph. Was it Mr Bidwell's authority I weeks before the race. I brought him

ness from the Chinese Government; they

it was Bidwell who broght Lum Hon to his condition to go the distance. There was him aletter from my mother. My father died them. office. Mr Robinson then read several ex- considerable loss on that meeting, I was stay- in 1874 and my mother about two months ... Mr Brandt-They are not here; Some Was those a financial partnership between You are only a shallow rogue after all. tracts from some Sporting Gossip in the ing with Mr Smith during that meeting, before the appearance of this second libel. of them are not in the colony. Had you given the matter the slightest Hongkong Telegraph, in which, he said, I returned to Shanghai in March. I received consideration I hardly think you would the jury would see that the malice a letter from Mr Smith, dated Hongkong have over-reached yourself and placed your- of the writer who attacked Brandt Telegroph, 28th March, 1883, in which there self in such a thoroughly ignoble position | there, who called him a tinker and was a question of accounts raised, and in for the sake of a few hundred dollars, ulluded to bad jockeyship, brutal riding, which he claims a balance of \$215. I had a However, you have done so and you will and buriesquing of race-riding was the counter-account against him to show that have to bear the consequences. I have same malice as appeared in the para- he owed me a few hundred dollars instead taken some pains to get at the bottom of graph quoted in the petition, and which of my owing him. He has not paid that to your double-de ling here and have suc- was meant to injure him in his business; this day. It was about \$300, I did not ceeded to a greater extent than I ever and they would also see that that malice send the cheque and I repudiated all his anticipated. So long as you got clear was not made less by the fact that Brandt insinuations and gave reasons. An angry away from Hongkong you did not care a was the rival of Bidwell and Pitman-| correspondence ensued, which was cu curse what became of me. You knew Bidwell, the man who brought Lum Hon short by me in June. It was resumed onite well that I was between \$8,000 and to Mr Caldwell. What most the effect by a friendly letter from Mr Fraser 81 .0 0 to the bad-at least \$5000 f that of that libel of the 23rd February 1886, Smith, after a silence of five months. amount owing to your solfish rescality, and have been on the people who were dealing The letter was as follows :-you were mean enough to obtain a few with Brandt? In that year Mr Brandt had hundred dollars of my own money by false | been doing business with Chinese of high pretences and clear away with everything standing. He was able to negotiate a loan you could lay your hands on, although for the Hoppo at Canton for a million taels. perfectly well aware that I was hard press- Three hundred thousand taels of that loan ed to meet heavy liabilities. It is not my was put through and a profit of \$8,009 was intention to rake up the paltry affairs, made by Brandt on that. The whole tranwhich have come to my knowledge, more saction might have been worth to him than I can avoid; but there are some \$23,000. But if such libels were put bethings that cannot be overlooked, and the fore the people with whom he was dealing time has now come for a settlement of our | -that he was liable to be prescuted by account-a final settlement. Last year the Crown Prosecutor-were they going to you owed me a balance of \$162.79. I deal with this sort of man? He had put part make you a present of that if you are con- of the loan through, but there was still aprotemptible enough to accept it. This year fit to be made on the 700, 00 tacls, when an for private accounts I paid for you and article by Mr Fraser Smith appeared. That claiming you to ride "Second Violin" when my operations have been confined to ly how many days. It may have been only your acknowledgment for most of these) article said that the startling announcement the total amounts to \$328.63, from that a silver loan for Tie. 300,000 had just stable-presuming you have a stable. which you make out you paid \$159 on been transacted for the Chinese Governaccount of the stable-and this Tallow. ment through the Viceroy (that was merely The balance to your debit is there a bit of bar information, as it was not the

muding I tell you plainly that if I do vourable notoriety. He (Onunsel) put that receive a draft for that amount on or forward as showing that the malice of the

the true circumstances of the case and by Wishing you all the success at the forth- which Brandt was described as a prize came into rather serious collision with Mr gambled heads I win tacks you less. Before dealing particularly with the libels that you will never get over, -I am, your evidence of malice? To cut the matter paper. When that case was finished I set for this likel, but up to this date I have ness he had a legal right to do so, my interpreter. I was in competition with

wrongful act of this man. Evidence was then called.

MR BRANDT'S EVIDENCE. l'itman were engaged in trying to got busi- mining concern. He is known all over

'The "Hongkong Telegraph." Hongkong, 1 th December, 1883. 'Dear Brandt, -As you doubtless have

with flying colours! ling the time he has been in training.

and about 0 or 7 griffins.

Yours in haste. R. FRANKE-SMITE y the racing authorities, not only here the Hongkon, Telegraph. This simply Hongkong and raced in spite of that letter, ply recomp himself. I wished to carry me. but in Shanghai to justify your being showed the persistency with which and not with Mr Frager Smith. I courwarned off for life. I saved you in Mr Brandt had been attacked in several sidered the letter an attempt at blackmail

short he would come to the third libel, myself up in business. I went chiefly into not received any. right to do with his money and his brains tions to nearly all the principal Mandarins in Broker since the date of the libel, what he liked, and if Mr Brandt wished to Canton and personally to the Viceroy. My put his brains and money into share busi-, introduction to the Vicercy was got through think they were admissible. and was propored to pay up any taken up. On 13th Feb a paragraph ap-I sees that might occur. Ho was not peared in the Telegraph, alleging that au losing, however; he was making large pro- action had been brought against me by fits, and this man came and practically Lum Hon for \$7,500. There was no ruined his business. He (Counsel) would foundation whatever for this. On the 23rd put into the box brokers who would be of Feb. appeared the first liberalleged in the able to tell the jury the exact nature of the petition. I made inquiries as to whether plaintiff's business. It was perfectly any communication had been made to the obvious what was the intention of the Crown Prosecutor. There was no truth in libellous article. It was supposed to be the assertion. I never heard anything based on a share case in which the plain- | more of legal proceedings. Mr Bidwell tiff was concerned. It did not appear asked me to pay \$500 to compromise the abuse over me under the guise of publicat the same time as the report of the case matter. I did not pay that. I got an when people might compare its statements envelope from Mr Bidwell containing slips, Grimble, I will make the following statewith what took place in Court, but many on which was printed, 'Tho lat at relish- ments :damago to him as a business man. As to The paper was in Mr Bidwell's hand- for money wrongfully appropriated by the did not win. its effect on his social standing that was writing. I know he was on friendly terms defendant. wrested from him by the malicious and lie told me the person who gave the appear totally different and disadvantopinion of my riding and jockey abilities aggous to me, Oscar Braudt, the plaintiff, said-I am a the year 1886 I put through a loan with chance to take up the shares in a falling marmerchant and commission agent doing but the Hoppe of Canton. The amount was ket, that I could never take them up, that siness in Hongkong. I was born and \$1,000,000. The new Hoppo was about to I played a game of " Heads I win; tails you educated in Hamburg. My father was an arrive when the thing was put through; lose," &c. &c., knowing perfectly well from insurance broker. I have other relatives \$300,000 was to be put through at once for the evidence that I had purchased these in Hamburg. I have one brother at the the old Hoppo and the rest for the new. shares to be delivered to a person who after-Bidwell and Pitmen enemies of Brandt and head of a large commercial firm; I have and I got \$4,000 from the Hongkoug and wirds became a defaulter. friends of Mr Frasor Smith. Bidwell and other brother who is at the head of a silver | Shanghai Bank and \$4,000 from the Chi- | 4. - Your infamously and cowardly com- | then. nese as commission on the \$300,000. I see paring myself to "Welshers," your mean Europe as a distinguished engineer and in- a paragraph in the Telegraph purporting to and totally untrue attacks on my past life. were rivals of Brandt and friends of Mr | ventor. I have relations in London and describe the transaction. The statements in vague and insinuating terms and other Fraser Smith. In February 1 86, out New York. There is nothing in the se- are not true. The revenue of the Province gross insults shall not be left unpunished, from me, perpetrated by Mr Nickels and came this libel, having been preceded cond libel which is true with regard to my was pledged for the lean and had nothing I assure you. by a notice on the 13th February. It parentage and bringing up. I left Ham- to do with the Viceroy. When the new You know perfectly well I won my case Bidwell. in the hands of the Crown Prosecutor, broker. I remained in Shanghar till '85, agent in Canton. I know attempts were misbehaviour, and unless you publish in pear before them and they adjourned the a contract for cement for the Canton river. | slanderer, and coward ! Police Gozette, New York dated November. F Praya Central, No. 13 : Hongkong, 9th I understood what it meant when the libel about my being a slogger appeared. I never wrote any letter. I know of no sure of my mother. During the time I to mean you were out of the Colony. lived with Mr Smith I spoke to Mr Smith Mr Smith-I want your day book, ledger, Mr Caldwell would be able to tell them that | round before the race, but he was not in about my family sfining and even showed and bank book. You got notice to produce | Equ da Silva !- I was training his ponies the chief Chinese promoter. Mr Woo Lin | were required in evidence. Yuen. I received \$1 100 through Mesers | Mr Smith-Where do you bank? ing the share market for some time. My business affirs course of the year I did a fair business. My that appeared in the public courts. business, as an enterprise, was very profit- | ket went in his favour.

at le. My rough profits, no to the publication His Lo dship-I think your allegation tion of this article, was about \$80,000. | had reference to this transaction only. clude, in the \$30,000, Mr Grimble's ac- has given full particulate of all his tranalready heard. I got out of my libel case count and others who have gone into bank- sactions in shares, amounting to one mil ruptey. In the beginning, when my name I lion, and I am entitled to disprove that. 'I shall be glad to have old "Fiddle" as | was not known, I found considerable diffi- | Cross-examination (continued)-I bank soon after Foochow Races as you like. It culty in dealing in shares, but gradually as at the Chartered Bink. I made your perwould be well to let him have at least a my name became known, it was generally sonal acquaintance in Shanghai in 1880. currence. fortnight's rest after his arrival, comsider- accepted. Since this libel appeared I We first raced together in 1881. I believe have found great difficulty in getting you purchased some of my cast-off ponies. You can let me have one pony more if people to accept my name. There has You did not purchase second Violin. Lord to-day. you think it good enough: but you must been a depression in the share mar- of the Itles and Dunfee. I do not know decide that for yourself. If you are here I ket, but there were several booms if a confederacy was declared between us. should in consideration of one half of the in Lands' and Sugars' when I wished to I stayed in your house, as far as I can reold make's winnings, reserve the right of sell. Since the appearance of this article collect, about a month. I cannot say exact. Portugal has appointed a committee of 1.0 reception in Bombay, and maid that the required—unless of course you had special \$200,000. The bulk was cash transactions, shortly before the races that I came down, reasons for riding something in your own My credit was impaired. I seed Mr The ponies were trained by my direction. Grimble for the sum of \$900. The case We raced together in 1983. There were There has been some talk about your was reported in the China Mail and the several races and there was a loss. Incoming down here and I have heard the Daily Press. I heard Mr Fraser Smith say formal preliminaries of a new racing venugly word "objection" used more than that he founded his leader on the report in ture were arranged before I left. There once. You have some enemies here, but the China Mail. Mr Frascr Smith examin. was a sweepstake arranged, but no definite without evidence they can do nothing and ed the reports in the Ching Mail, Daily arrangement were made as to racing. Leay whatever may happen you can rely on my Press and Hongkong Telegraph and selected that Highland-Fling-went lame about three doing nothing to harm you. I filt very the report in the China Mail as the report | weeks before the racing. There was bitterly against you last spring not with on which he founded his leader. To my no gigantic gambling after the pony out cause I think-however all that's past own knowledge Mr Frager Smith was pre- got lame. and gone, and I am not the man to cherish sent on the second occasion and heard Mr Smith-You want to make out bea life-long animosity, or to injure anybody the summing up of Mr Webber, myself and cause Highland Fling did not win the Derby maliciously. I mention this, so that you Mr Justice Wise. Mr Smith gave as his that I have been prosecuting you all these need not be afraid to make whatever ar authorities, besides the Chica Mail, Mr years. cangements you think proper with any Danby, Mr Toeg and Mr Webber. Mr Beaudt-I say so, other person in Hongkong, but I must hate There was a dispute between Mr Grimble Mr Smith You le t my house in a and myself about the purchase of the 50 friendly fashion after the racing, did your You will be glad to hear that at least shares. That was part of the ground of the not i two of my sub. griffins are fivers. All be- law suit. I purchased from Mr. Grimble 6. Mr. Brandt -Not altogether friendly. ing well I shall be with them this journey. Shares for August delivery at 206. I had Mr Smith-Was not the quarrel between I hope you will win a lot of Races at previously sell to Mr Benjamin for August you and me because y a obtained by fraud Foothow. Chater's popics and Nicke's' delivery at 207, In both instances 5) and fales proteoces a sum of \$100.8; my came down on Saturday, Resper, Smilight, shares. I had to pay half dellar brokerage money, from the Hon, G. P. Chater, and Hornpipe. Montesuma, Newmanket, Ross on each of the transactions. So that if 872.92 from the late Mr Mortimer Murray 1 everything had been right there could be Mr Brandt-Certainly not. I got these tion of a cinal connecting Berlin with the neith r profi n r loss. Mr Grimble, with two amounts, but I did not collect them in Baltio. whom I had bad other transactions, had in the way Mr Smith auggests,

show malice, and extracts from the defent as a livery stable keeper and unfit to race that this article about the Vicercy, evidence he had if I gave him the pony. 300. I wanted to set off the 50 against the that is, to the partnership, the object of showing a systematic course require ready to my hand. I have now pire of China was translated into Chinase, hat and I had been offered a high price for if all had been right there would have partnership? of libel of the plain iff by the defendant. and unless you pay up by the that it went before the Chinese authorities, it. He wanted the pony to win vacos: He been a considerable profit to me. The Mr Brandt—That I should train the Besides the question of malice as time named, look out! Obtaining money that it made them angry as they did not wanted a valuable consideration out of me. market did fall. The malter was arranged ponies. You were to go in for the affecting the amount of damages to under salse pretences is swindling, and that like to deal where the dignity of the em- I did not give him the pony. He died at between me and the brokers, but a fort- gambling, and I was to get a third of be awarded, there was also the quest is the crime of which you have been guilty. pire was likely to be lowered, and that the the race meeting of 1884. Before that time night afterwards Mr Grimble and the the profits, and that the the race meeting of 1884. Before that time night afterwards Mr Grimble and the the race meeting of 1884. Before that time night afterwards and the race meeting of 1884. Before that time night afterwards are the profits, and the race meeting of 1884. tion of compensation. In this case the I will also thank you to return my horse- IIs. 100,000 was not put through by him I had formed business connections with Mr brokers had gone beyond his authority in were to be paid by you. groatest injury had been done to Mr Brandt hoxes by the first steamer after you receive but was put through in Shangbai by wire. Bidwell, and in the course of that year making the arrangement. I then gave Mr Smith-A third of the profits? And groatest injury and occur done in the State and the books left a heavy loss. Why did you in his transactions as a man of business by this letter. I had plenty warnings about In 1887 Brandt was still doing business disputes arose between us which were sub- Grimble authority to sell on the State and the books left a heavy loss. Why did you the libels published against him, his busi- you from those who knew you well. with the Chinese. That year he was asked mitted to arbitration. The final award was to charge me the difference. I do not dare to take these amounts when the books ness having been brought practically to a I thought you were unjustly treated and for a scheme for a wharf in Canton, and a that I had a claim for \$25,000 against Mr. know whether he sold or not. He said he showed a heavy less? standstill. Where he was formerly in paid no heed to good advice. My eyes price was stated. But somebody got at his Bidwell, and that certain charges he made did not sell to the 6th October. In the Mr Brandt-I was fully justified to rethe position of a man who was establishing have been a pened at last. It is all in a confidential man in Canton, gave him a sgainst me were unfounded. Mr Bidwell meantime there had been a drop of 10 tain the money, as you owed me conhis credit and reputation on the 'Rialto' life's experience I suppose; but I fancy I promissory note for \$5,000 on condition went to Hongkong and I came in 1885 and points. I said the loss did not concern siderably more; you have got my account, the publication of the libel ruined his a c- shall yet have an opportunity of paying you that certain affidavits that were required took proceedings to recover the money from me. He said I would have to pay it. That you can produce it if you like. It is set dit and reputation for the time being, and in your own coin. I am ashamed that I should be produced; and they were Bidwell. While these proceedings were was the point between us and I won the forth in the letter of 13th April. it would be a long time before that reputa- was in any way connected with a man who produced. The note was signed by going on I tried to get some accounting case. That accounted for \$300 odd dollars. tion could be established in the same could act such a mean part. I see that Mr Bidwell and by another, who would work, and did some work in connection As to the balance the Judge thought I was flour bing position again, and the only Gun has opened business, under your be-called if any evidence was required with Mr Jurgens' estate. He Kwan San right in my contention if I had given notice way way which that could be satisfactorily auspices, I procume. I am quite sorry on on the point, At any rate the thing fell and Mr Pitman were concerned in that in time. It is false when the defendant acic blished was by showing in open Court his account; however, he knows you. through In 1888 appeared the libel in matter, and in the course of the business I says I could not take up my shares, that I get ing from the jury an expression of their coming meeting that you deserve, and fighter. Why did the defendant publish it? Pitman. I knew that Mr Pitman and Mr was quite able to pay; Mr Grimble had the opinion as to the manner in which the advising you to settle our little account The Daily Pre's did not publish it; the Smith were very friendly. Mr Pitman money in his possession. I never repudiatdefendant had treated the plaintiff without delay, if you wish to avoid trouble China Mail did not publish it. Was it used to write many articles for Mr Smith's sed my contract. I demanded an apology

> which was the one published in 1899. It Chinese Government business but also ge- Mr Robinson at this stage wished to put was 'not his (Counsel's) business to stand neral mercantile business. In December in several paragraphs which had appeared as an apologist for share speculating. He and January I had between \$50,000 and in the Telegraph, in which Mr Brandt was thought a man in a free country had a \$100,000 worth of indents. I got introduc- described as Broker Brandt and Slogger His Lordship, however, said he did not

> Cross-examination—I said I demanded He was doing a flourishing business Mr I itman in this line of business I had an apology from you. (Shown letter). That is my letter. His Lordship said he did not think it would assist Mr Smith, but if there was no

objection it might be read. The letter was then read. It is as

' Mr Robert Fraser Smith. Editor, Hongkong Telegraph. 'Sir,-Having read your leader in to- (The text of the letter, if necessary, will be night's issue of your paper in which you given to-morrow.) spirited comment on my recent case v.

not a matter to go into here: he would with Mr Fraser Smith and he used to con- 2 .- You pervert the truth in your des- I had to dismount have another opportunity of vindicating tribute to his paper. I see the Telegraph cription of the case in a shameless manner, himself in that respect. He came now of February 21st 18.5. I asked Mr Smith distorting and corrupting the various facts before the Court to vindicate himself as a who gave him the information on which he proved in clear evidence in Court, and in man of business whose credit had been wrote certain paragraphs in sporting gossip. Buch a way as to make the whole features

> was Mr H. S. Bidwell. I am described as 3 - You knowingly and deliberately liea tinker. . When I started business here I again when you devote a whole half column had an office in Canton for some time. In of slush to demonstrating that I never had a

In 1888 I was endeavouring to start a paper | " I must ask you to publish this letter at manufactory. There was to be a company once, in your next issue. If you refuse, 'Yours obediently.

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other Oscar Brandt in China or Hongkong. | that lotter to your house. I read the letter | sold him to Mr Eca da Silva for Tis, 150 The paragraph says my sporting name is to several people. I took out a writ the with the option of taking him back after Ingo Relish, which name I had been called day aft rwards. I did not know you were the Llongkong races for \$50. I took him

The Paper Company was not started. I His Lordship said he was bound to pro- contingency for the cheap rale of Odurara, had made a twenty years' contract as a duce the books if they were asked for. It a pony which had a good rec. rd. manager. I received an indemnity from was for him (His Lordship) to say if they

Wotton and Dencon. I have been watch- Mr Brandt - I object to go through my

first operations were successful and there. His Lordship-The question is whether apon I extended my operations. In the the article is fair comment upon a matter contracts from June to 9.h October Mr Smith-I have alleged that the plain- (Mr Brandt's) enemies and doing other amounted to about \$1,800,000 gross turn tiff in this case gambled in shares which over of values, buying and selling. The he was not able to take up unless the mar-

There were a good many defaulters in that. | Mr Smith-It was bused on this par I am suing now for \$35,000 of that. I in- | ticular case and on others. The plaintiff

his hands \$8,0 Oof mine, so that he could am- Mr Emith-These moneys belonged to

Mr Smith-I shall leave this letter till

to-morrow morning. Mr Brandt-My expenses should have been paid. Besides I had some personal accounts against you which you previously agreed to pay. Mr Smith-You had some trouble with

the Stewards of the Racing Club.

Mr Brandt-Not that I am aware of. Mr Smith-Don't you remember that you and I were reported to Mr. Coxon about some trouble on the Off Day, and you stayed some considerable time in the Co-

long until it was settled. Mr Brandt-It was settled very quickly The moment it was brought on it was settled very quickly.

Mr Smith—You were reprimated by the Stewards of the Recing Fund. Mr Brandt-I was not. I was exon-

What was the charge?—The charge was that of pulling. Mr Smith put in a letter previous to the one in which he said he must have Second Violin. In this letter the request for the pony seemed to be made in a friendly way and in the ordinary course of business.

shower most vituperative and malicious You said that the demand for Second Violia was an attempt to bluff you. Do von still say so !-It was, and I repeat the

Mr Smith-Well. Second Violin did come days afterwards. Such a libel, in which lago.' Mr Bidwell had invented that name | - 1 .- You deliberately lie when you say down to Hongkong and he ran in several the plaintiff was described as a 'welsher' for me and I had requested him not to use that the case was a "gambling case," well races and was not placed. -I do not know could not but be the cause of substantial it. I never knew anybody else to use it. knowing that my claim was a most just one about that. I think he was placed. He

> He broke down in one race.—In one race And then he died—He died toveral hours

> That was Odawara's year—the pony you brought down for the Derby ?-Yes. He was a very great favourite for the Derby ?-You made him one.

- You lost the race ?-Yes. Are you not of opinion that you lost that race through bad riding?-Certainly not. I lost it through the bad weather?

Is it not the case that you won the Canton Cup afterwards by about 20 or 30 lengths?-The course had dried up in the The puny won the Exchange Plate after-

wards ? - The course was perfectly dry And then he got beaten in the Champions through bad jockeying. -There was a d. Liberate attempt to take the race away Mr Donman, with the assistance of Mr

Mr Smith-You lodged a complaint, with

And you have never raced in Hongkong _ainca_1 -- Never. After that you went to the Shinghai race with Odawara and you raced him there !-

What was the value of the puny! -Tls. 150 about that time. Did not Mr Eca da Silva give you at least Tls. 60 for the transfer of him for that | pay.

meeting !-He did not. Is it not the fact that you sold the half of the pony to Eca d. Silva for \$1,500 in Cross-examination-(continu d)-I sent | Shanghail - The pony belonged to m. afterwards I resold half the share to Mr

> Eca da Silva for \$1.500. You were racing in partnership with Mr and interested in some way in his at ble. voul-I had a share in the winning as a

You had considerable trouble with Ma Eca da Silva before the racing [-I do not recollect it. He was a rather not-tempered Channel, where the ironclad Sultan man, and there may have been some stranded, difficulties between us.

Mr Smith then produced a letter written to Mr Spratt in which Mr Brandt spoke of Mr Eoa da Silva as allying himself with his one votes. nasty tricks. The case shortly afterwards was adjourn

ed till to morrow morning.

NEWS BY THE FRENCH MAIL

London, January 18th .- The Judges and Mig strates in Crete have resigned in a body. Quarrels and disturbances, attended by severe injuries, are ngain of daily oc-

THE FORTH DRIDGE. The first train crossed the Forth bridge

THE BEFENCE OF PORTUGAL. A meeting was called at Lisbon to concitizens and officers to watch their interests in regard to Nyassa-land.

GERNAN SOCIALISTA London, January 24th. The Emperor William presided to day at a Conference of Ministers held for the discussion of meavures dealing with Socialism in Germany.

POPULAR FRELING AT LISBON. The British Legation at Liebon is now guarded by troops. The edi ors of the leading papers have convoked a meeting at Lisbon for promoting national defence. THE DELGIAN MINING STRIKES.

Charlesoi turn out again on strike on Wednesday. The Police have been ang-BANISHMENT FROM RUSSIA.

London, J nuary 21st, Thirty-nine R sila have been bahished. A LANGE PROJECT SANCTIONED.

London, January 21st, The German i Government has annetioned the construct

THE UNITED STATES AND PORTUGAL, Lisbon, January 23rd. The American

deal of the evidence would be simply to Hougkong after you had been condemned capacities. Mr Brandt would tell them and that he meant he would keep whatever me 200 shares bought at a higher price, amounts. They belonged to the book been condemned capacities. Mr Brandt would keep whatever me 200 shares bought at a higher price, amounts. They belonged to the book book been condemned capacities. pute. It is stated that the American Condant's newspaper would be produced with with gentlemen-and I have what they or the Hoppo, and the digney of the em- The pony had won the Champions in Shang- 200. I rected a drop in the market and Mr Smith-What were the terms of our gress is to be asked to senction a line of

DAMAGE TO SHIPPING. &C. London, January 24th, -Enormous damage to property and shipping is reported of the gales prevailing during the last few days. Numerous towns have been fleeded.

TERRIPIC GALES IN THE ATLANTIC. Several vessels of the Atlantic lines have suffered terribly in the gales, and report having sean immenso iceficids while crossing the Atlantic.

It is asserted to-day that Turkey has pronibited the use of the Greek language in Creten tribunals. A FATAL EXPLOSION.

THE GREEK LANGUAGE IN CRETS.

By an explosion at Pontypool in the South Wales coulded last night five miners we e killed.

PORTUGAL'S APPEAL TO ARBITRATION. London, Jan. 25th. Sir James Forguson, speaking last night, declared Pur-

lugal's cl im to arbitration in the matter

THE RESURBECTION OF DR PETERS. London, Jan. 2 th. -It is reported that Dr Peters has arrived at Subaki.

of Nyassaland was basel as and absurd.

GREECE AND ORETE. London, Jan. 25th. -The Greek reserves. have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for service. It is believed the order is in some way connected with

A DIVORCE CASE. London, Jan. 25th. - Lord Torppichouhas sceured a divorce from his wife, on the

ground of adultery with Lieutenaut Lynch A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR EXPECTED. London, Jan. 25th. The Marquis of

Hartington contemplates visiting India directly he is sufficiently recovered. A LARGE FAILURE. London, Jan. 25th. -Repetto Pacpaglioni

and Company at Buenos Ayres have failed with six million dollars of liabilities, owing to an immense business of jobbing in Argentine products, and large shipping interests in Kurope.

SICKNESS ON THE JUDICIAL BENCH. London, January 25th.—Mr. Justice Manisty was attacked with a slight stroke of paralysis yesterday while on the bench. Four other Judges are at present disabled through various illnesses.

FURTHER NEWS OF DR. PLTERS. Some French priests, who have arrived at Mombassa, state that they met Dr. Peters in the interior, when he was well and returning to the coas. No mention is made of the date when they net him.

BENZON. THE JUDICEE FORGER. The endeavors made by Benzon's friends to bring about a suttlement of his case have failed, and he has been examined by a Magistrate, when he admitted having forged a cheque for one thousand pounds, having come to the end of his resources, which he hoped to probably r. conp by gambling, He was summoned to appear at the Police Court on Friday.

THE DOCK STRIKER. Tom Mann, the leader of the dockers, has een arrested for creating a disturbance at Hay's Wharf, where the men are on strike. BUSSIAN RAILWAYS IN CENTRAL ASIA. St. Petersburg, January 27th, -The rail.

way from Samarcand to Tashkend will be commenced in May, and will cross the Syr Daria at Khoiend. PROPOSED MEMORIAL TO LORD NAPIER.

London, January 28th .- At a mooting held at the Mausion House, the Lord Mayor presiding; attended by a large number of eminent unval and military officers. a Committee was formed to invite funds for a memorial to Lord Napier. L RD W. ISKLEY'S SUGGESTIONS FOR THE

BEFORM OF THE BRITISH ARMY, In an article in Ha per's Magazine, Lord Wolseley condemns the present uniforms of our Army and likens our Ganerals in uniform to dressed monkeys. He urges tha adoption of a campaign dress as regular updress, and recommends a minimum addition of sixpence per day to the private's

THE MALABAR'S MISHAP. The troopship Malubar has arrived at Portamouth. She has a la ge bole in her side on the water line, and was struck time by the French steamer she collided with.

Mr Justice Manisty is improving. THE CASE AGAINST THE DOCKER. The Magis'rate, rearding the charge against Tom Mann not proved, has discharg-

LITEST NEWS OF BENKON. London, January 27th, -One thousand. pounds have been paid into the London. branch of the Credit Lyshnais bank in diecharge of Bonson's cheque. Bennon is

atill imprisoned. THE COMING CHANNEL London, January 27th, - The admiralty has ordered a new survey of the Comino

THE SOCIALIST BILL. Berlin. (Leter.) - The Reichsteg rejected the Socialist Bill by a majority of seventy-

THE GERMAN EMPEROR AND THE WORK-

IXO OLASSES. Berlin, January 25th, (Midnight.)-The Government had decided to press for a division on the Social at Bill, with the result already stated in a previous telegram. The Emperor William, in his speech from the throne at the closing of the Reichstag, promised the introduction of further laws for the benefit of the working classes, who, he trusted, would learn to look to Parlia. ment not for violent measures but for the improvement of their condition.

MB BRADLAUGH INTERVIEWED. London, January 20th .- Mr. Bradlaugh has arrived at his home. In an interview with a reporter of the Pall Mall Gazette he said he had benefitted immensely by the trip to India, but still suff red from petty sider the question of national defences, ailments. He spoke most warmly of his varied and representative character of the Congress had more than ever convinced him of the ignorance of Engishmen about India and its affairs.

MAJOR PINTO 8 MOVEMENTS. Berlin, January 25tle. Tho semi-official organ, the Dia, states that Major Pinto has been ordered not to roturn to Lisbon but to go to Western Africa on a Government Mission.

DESTRUCTIVE GALE IN TRELAND. London, January 27th .- A tremendous gale, accompanied by deluges of rain, has prevailed in the south of Ireland, doing London, January 2 st .- The in ners at great havor. The river Shannon has overflowed its banks and completely dovestated the sountry around Limerick.

mented, and are in readiness to maintain THE ANGLO-AMERICAN EXTRADITION TREATY. Mashington, January 26th. -The text of the Extradition Treaty between Great Britain and America, which is still before Polish and Ge man noblemen residing in the Senate; has been published, and expressly excludes extradition for political offences

> THE EGYPTIAN FINANCES. Coiro, January 28.h. The Fayptien surplus for hist year amounts to £160,000. The reserve fund has been increased by £420 (00.

BERVIAN ARMAMENTS. Bel rade. January 26th. - The Service Minister at Lisbon has attended an Anglo. Government demands of the Skuptschins over the account to 30th September on Mr Brandt-They did not I was per phobe meeting of the Geographical Society, an extra credit of two millions florids for which date Mr Grimble would have to give feetly entitled to retain these two small the inference being that America sympa. gura and amministing

Mails.

FINANCE COMMITTEE. The following is a fuller report of the Finance Committee than we were able to give last night :-THE PEAK WATER SUPPLY. The Chairman said the first minute to seconding the vote said the whole of this deal with was a recommendation by the amount would not be available for the Governor, for a vote of \$27,000 to be ex- Committee which had just been appointed. pended for the water supply at the Poak. A large portion of it would be required for Mr Chadwick was present, and as he knew public buildings, so that the Committee more of the matter than any of them, would must not expect to have that amount handprobably explain the nature of the works. | ed to them to dispose of. That amount Mr Chadwick—The proposition is to would be greatly reduced before it was pump the water from the Pokfulum filter handed to them beds which are about to be constructed to . Mr Chater said he thought in that case a point near to the flagstaff behind Moun- very little would be done. However, the tain Lodge, which will be a sufficient Committee has nothing to do but to pass elevation for the supply of the whole this vote, and if it was not found sufficient district, including Mount Kellett. I he supposed a supplementary vote would be recommend the pumping for various asked for. reasons. Although it would no doubt be The Chairman said the \$12,000 would be casy to collect the water up there, on the carefully expended, but in case a suppleplan suggested by Mesirs Danby and Leigh, mentary vote came before the Finance there would be no difficulty in making a Committee he trusted they would feel disreservoir, still I think such a system open posed to look upon it with a generous to a very considerable objection, namely eye. that the reservoir would be close to a numbor of houses. On the Fever (ommission then adjourned. objections were raised to the Pokfulum reservoir as a source of supply on account of the number of houses in the draininge area. If those objections had any weight they would have still greater weight in this case against making a reservoir under these houses. Another objection is that it would ITHE RESIDENCE, No. 14, ALBAN be a very small pond, before the view of everyone, and if the water looked at all sen, Esq. (overlooking Botanical Gardens). dirty there would sure to be an outery. have therefore come to the conclusion that pumping is the best method to adopt. The intention is to do this by means of the power of the water which will be supplied from the same reservoir. There is a surplus over after the due supply of the lower district, and it is proposed to utilise this to raise a certain proportion of the water to the Peak, which of course will involve no expenditure, except a man to look after the machinery; but for the time being, until all is finished in town, it is intended to put up a steam-engine, and this will always be required as a stand-by. The present estimate includes the cost of the steam engine for that purpose. The steam-engine will be erected on the Bonham Road, not far from the site proposed for the new gaol, and the water will be sent up to the Peak in wrought iron pipes of small diameter. It is proposed to provide in the first instance pumping machinery and pipes for the raising of 24,000 gallons per day. By working night and day that amount can be doubled. It will only be necessary to alter this portion of the machinery to double or troble the supply as occasion may require. The estimate, therefore, includes the steam-engine and the pumps. There will a small reservoir beaind Mountain Lodge, another one near the flagstaff, and four others scattered about the district, which will give altogether about two days' supply. The water will be distributed through the district by a pipe which will run from the Mountain Lodge Reservoir all round; one loop will run round Mount Kellet and another round Mount Gough, and the water will be further taken as far as Wanchai Gap all in wrought iron pipes. The estimate of \$27,000 includes pipes for raising the water to the top of the hills \$1,450, and \$560; for remaining pipes, valves, hydrants, &c., \$16,000; the engine I put down at \$6,000, the hydraulic motor at \$2,400, and buildings \$2,200. I think the report I have made upon the water works has not yet been circulated, but you will see from that that the engine and motor will be used to supply the district above Caine Road, to Richmond Terrace and along Richmond Terrace and that district, so really the whole of that cost can hardly be put down to the Peak water supply; strictly speaking the cost for the Peak alone is \$16,400. For the reservoirs I propose to take up the old iron tanks at Glenealy and other nullahs, which will be no longer required when the new system is introduced into Mr Chater-Will the amount of water supplied be sufficient for what is required for flushing the drains? Mr Chadwick said he thought so. With a fall supply of water to the house, very little would be required for flushing. He estimate of the population, which was a ble the population at present at the Peak.

had made the calculation on Mr Leigh's very liberal basis, providing for about dou-Mr MacEwon-When will this work be commenced?

Mr Chadwick - As soon as the money is voted, I suppose. As far as I am concorned, as soon as over the pipes arrive the work can go on. I believe the engine has been ordered.

The Chairman-I think there has been an order given for an engine. Mr Chadwick-Yes, I think it was ordered before you arrived. The only thing now is to order the iron pipes, and then the work can be put in hand very rapidly. It should not take long to do. Mr Chater-If commenced at once when do you think it would be ready? Mr Chadwick-It depends on the state

of the market at home; this is rather a large order. If we have no delays in getting the pipes, although the whole may not be finished, we might have a supply by the think by the end of the year. Mr Chater and Mr Ryrie both said the scheme seemed a very satisfactory one. The vote was passed.

MAXIM GUNS FOR THE VOLUNTEER CORPS. The Chairman said the next vote was one of \$37,275 for the purchase of twelve maxim guns for the Volunteers. The cost of each gun was put down at \$2,823, then ten per cent, was added for packing and other charges, bringing the cost of the twelve Dwelling Apartments.

The Captain Superintendent of Police seconded. He said it might be in the recollection of hon, members that certain gentlemen had offered to present guns, but on further consideration it was thought advisable that these guns should be in the hands of the Government. The guns would be a most important addition to the de-

fences of the Colony. Mr MacEwen - Are these guns to be used by the Volunteers or the military authori-The Captain Superintendent of Police-By the Volunteers; the military will look

after them and keep them in order. The vote was adopted. OVERHAUL OF THE HEALTH OFFICER'S

A vote of \$766 for overhaul of the Health Officer's launch and hire of a launch during the time his boat was undergoing the overhaul was passed.

THE VISIT OF THE DUKE AND DUCHESS

OF CONNAUGHT. The Chairman said the last vote was one for \$12,000 for the illumination of public buildings, arranging for a visit to Canton, entertaining at Government House, and other expenses connected with the visit to the Colony of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. There had been two royal visits here before in which various sums had Garden and Tennis Ground. been spent. The first visit was that of the Dake of Edinburgh when a sum of over 820,000 was spent; and on the reception of Princes Albert Victor and George of

Wales \$10,000 was spont. On the celebration of Her Majesty's Jubilce \$27,962 was The Government had carefully considered the matter and had concluded that \$12,000 was a reasonable amount to

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